



COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

SPECIFICATION AND INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

As a below named inventor, I declare that:

My residence, citizenship, and mailing address are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if one name is listed below) or a joint inventor (if more than one name is listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed, and for which a patent is sought, on the invention entitled "**Inspection Tool with Partial Framing/Windowing Camera**" the specification of which,

- is attached hereto.
- was filed on **July 18, 2003** as Application Serial No. **10/623,282**.
- and was amended on

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF REVIEW OF PAPERS AND DUTY OF CANDOR

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to me to be material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

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I hereby claim the benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e)(1) of any United States Provisional Patent Application(s) listed below.

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DECLARATION

I declare that all statements made herein that are of my own knowledge are true and that all statements that are made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint the following attorneys and/or agents with full powers (including the power of appointment, substitution, and revocation) to prosecute this application and any division, continuation, continuation-in-part, reexamination, or reissue thereof, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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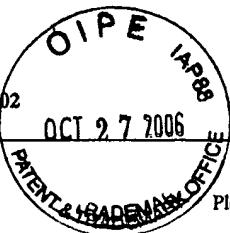
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Date: 9/14/2003

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Name: August Technology Corp.

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Country: United States of America

Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?
 No Yes

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Yes No

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ASSIGNMENT

Whereas I, the below-named inventor, with residence and citizenship as indicated below; have made an invention in:

"INSPECTION TOOL WITH PARTIAL FRAMING / WINDOWING CAMERA"

and have filed an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America based thereon having Serial Number 10/623,282, and filing date of July 18, 2003.

Now, therefore, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is acknowledged, we have agreed to assign and transfer and do hereby assign and transfer unto **August Technology Corp.**, a corporation of Minnesota, having its principal office at 4900 W. 78th Street, Bloomington, Minnesota 55435, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention and application, and in and to any division or continuation (in whole or in part) of said application, and in and to any and all improvements in the said invention made by us or any of us made jointly with others (provided any such improvement is made during our employment by the said Company or within one year thereafter), and in and to any and all Letters Patent, reexaminations, reissues, or extensions thereof, of the United States of America and countries foreign thereto (including the right to apply for Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in foreign countries in its own name and to claim any priority rights for such foreign applications to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise), which have been or may be granted thereon or on any divisional, continuation (in whole or in part), renewal, reexamination, reissue, or other or further application based in whole or in part upon the said invention or improvements thereon, to be held and enjoyed as fully exclusively as they would have been by us or any of us had this assignment and transfer not been made;

We do further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors, and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments, and documents, and to perform such other acts as we lawfully may, that may be deemed necessary by the said Company, its successors, assigns, and nominees, to fully secure its right, title, and interest as aforesaid and to obtain or maintain Letters Patent, Utility Models, or Inventors' Certificates in any and all countries;

And we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any and all Letters Patent which may be granted upon any of the said applications, to the said Company as the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest therein.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto signed our names on the day and year set forth below.


01/14/2003

Cory Watkins

Date

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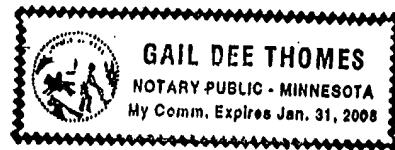
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On this 4th day of August, 2003, before me personally appeared Cory Watkins, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature with the seal of my office, the day and year above written.

A handwritten signature of "Gail Dee Thomes" in cursive script.

Notary Public